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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILI, SN, US

SUBJECT: EXEMPTION OF WARSHIPS FROM PORT DUES

REF: DAO SINGAPORE 300131Z DEC

1. WE UNDERSTAND FROM REFTEL THAT GOS INTENDS TO BEGIN
CHARGING COMMERCIAL PORT DUES TO ALL SHIPS USING SINGAPORE
PORT FACILITIES, INCLUDING WARSHIPS, AS OF JANUARY 1, 1976.
IN ORDER TO DETERMINE WHAT ACTION, IF ANY, WE SHOULD TAKE
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REGARDING THIS GOS DECISION WE FEEL THAT MORE INFORMATION

IS REQUIRED IF AVAILABLE.

2. AMONG THE TYPES OF INFORMATION WE REQUIRE ARE ANSWERS
TO THE FOLLOWING POINTS:

A. WHAT TYPES OF CHARGES DOES THE GOS HAVE IN MIND? ARE
THE FEES RELATED TO SERVICE PERFORMED (E.G. PILOTAGE FEES
OR A TAX)?

B. WHAT CHANGES DOES THIS DECISION INVOLVE? WHAT CHARGES,
IF ANY, WERE ASSESSED TO WARSHIPS OR PUBLIC VESSELS PRIOR
TO JANUARY 1, 1976 AND WHAT NEW CHARGES DOES THIS DECISION
INVOLVE?

C. DOES THIS DECISION SIGNAL A BROADER CHANGE IN GOS
ATTITUDES OR POLICY? WHAT EFFECT, IF ANY, IS THE
DECISION LIKELY TO HAVE ON ONGOING PORT FACILITY/NPW VISIT
NEGOTIATIONS?

3. PLEASE CABLE TEXT OF NOTE MENTIONED REFTEL.

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